



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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GRASS ET AL. Group Art Unit: 1631

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For: METHOD FOR SCREENING AND PRODUCING COMPOUND LIBRARIES

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

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